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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

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Application No.: 10/814343 First Named Applicant: YASHIKA SAKAGAMI et al.
 Examiner: ELISA M RICE Art Unit: 2624 Status of Application: pending

Tentative Participants:

(1) ALICIA M CHOI (2) _____
 (3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: OCTOBER 24, 2007 Proposed Time: 1:00 (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) Telephonic (2) Personal (3) Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: [] YES NO
 If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art <u>KUWA</u>	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>rejection</u>	<u>1-6</u>	<u>HIGAEZ</u>	[]	[]	[]
(2) <u>rejection</u>	<u>1-6</u>	<u>SHINICHI</u>	[]	[]	[]
(3) <u>rejection</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>ISHII</u>	[]	[]	[]
(4) <u>rejection</u>	<u>4</u>		[]	[]	[]
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Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

None of the references, individually or combined, teach or suggest all the recitations of independent claim 1 and for similar reasons the recitations of dependent claims 2-6

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